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The public is invited to the September 21st dinner meeting of the Greater Columbia Branch of the American Association of University Women. With the title of "What Are The Issues? What Are The Facts?", the program will include brief presentations on public policy issues of concern to AAUW and many other citizens. The topics are education funding, child welfare, social security, managed care, school vouchers, hate crime prevention and reproductive choice related legislation.

The status of current bills dealing with these issues will be presented and how citizens can respond. Materials will be available related to the issues, voting and the election.

The League of Women Voters has joined with AAUW in a voter education campaign and many of their members will be attending this meeting. While both AAUW and the League are non partisan on candidates, both groups take stands and act on public issues.

The meeting will be held on Thursday, Sept. 21 beginning with dinner at 6 P.M. in Humphries Hall at Columbia College. Cost is \$10 and **reservations must be made by noon, Sept. 18th** by calling Jo Conner at 779-7726. Reservations made and not cancelled by that time will need to be paid for.

Membership in AAUW is open to any citizen who is a graduate of a regionally accredited college or university.